

REMARKS

The application has been amended to place it in condition for allowance at the time of the next Official Action.

Although there is no requirement that the section headings be in upper case (the permissive "should be" is used), nevertheless, the specification is amended to include section headings in upper case to address the objection to the specification. No new matter is added.

Claims 1-13 were previously pending in this application. New claims 14 and 15 are added. Therefore, claims 1-15 are presented for consideration.

Claims 7, 8, 12 and 13 have been withdrawn from consideration as being directed to a non-elected species and have been designated as "withdrawn" in the status identifier to address the objection as to these claims.

New claims 14 and 15 are added. Claim 14 is directed to the "such as" subject matter of claim 4. New claim 15 finds support at least in Figure 2 and page 5, line 16 to page 6, line 11 of the application as filed. Both claims 14 and 15 are believed to read on the elected embodiment.

In view of the present amendment and foregoing remarks, and the remarks of the amendment of October 14, 2009, it is believed that the present application has been placed in condition for allowance. Reconsideration and allowance of each of the pending claims are respectfully requested.

Should there be any matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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